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10 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

12 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

No. SA 18-257M

14 Plaintiff,

MOTION TO DISMISS THE COMPLAINT  
WITHOUT PREJUDICE

15 v.

16 STEPHEN WILLIAM BEAL,

17 Defendant.  
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19 Plaintiff United States of America, by and through its attorney  
20 of record, the United States Attorney for the Central District of  
21 California, moves to dismiss the complaint against defendant STEPHEN  
22 WILLIAM BEAL without prejudice. Further examination by the Federal  
23 Bureau of Investigation raises questions as to whether the devices

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1 meet the statutory definition for a "destructive device" contained in  
2 18 U.S.C. § 5845.

3 Dated: May 26, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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